

# NORTHWEST MEDINA CO.

## BRUNSWICK

Orville Allen and wife of Bowling Green are here for a month's visit with relatives and friends.

Harvey Horton, wife and little son are living in the little house on Watson Carpenter's farm.

Walter Coleman went to Akron where he got a job in the Goodyear rubber works.

Albert Jamey and family spent Sunday at her mother's, Mrs. L. Child.

Levitt and Waters of Medina are doing the inside finishing work of the Church of Christ.

Rev. Gay left Wednesday morning for Warren to attend the conference. Last Saturday morning he commenced having the hiccoughs, and they did not stop until Monday night. There will be no preaching Sunday—only Sunday school and Epworth League.

Will Evans with his father from Berea were in Akron last Saturday to attend the funeral of Jesse Lambright, who married Helen Conn.

Our schools have commenced in a flourishing manner. Our high school has started in good spirit and enrolls the largest number in years, 47. At the primary schools Alta Johnson has 30 pupils and Marie Cain 24, and their rooms are crowded.

Laura Arthur at Bennetts Corners has 15; Edna Worden as a substitute at Goodmans Corners, has 14. This school was closed for a few years but now there are pupils enough to open again.

Florence Dallas, in Chidsey district, has 15; Ruth Dridich, at Sherman's Corners, has 15; Lucille Miller, in Leinender district, has 22, and Mrs. Russell, at 66, has 13. This makes 195 scholars for our township.

Reinold and Elmer Harbert are both working in Cleveland.

Atlee Beutel was home from Lakewood Sunday.

Will Wetherbee and family expect to move down near the pumping station, where he works.

Mrs. Alex. Gibbs spent a few days in Cleveland with her daughter, Mrs. Alden.

Sydney Lance of Medina spent Sunday with Alvin Gibbs.

All members of the Grange are requested to be present at the next meeting, Sept. 18, as two important subjects are to be discussed.

Last Sunday's Plain Dealer told of a paper published in Akron 80 years ago, called the "Buzzer."

The editor was S. A. Lane, who was a distant relative of Miss Edith Lane of this place, and she often heard her father speak of him. He died in 1905, aged 90 years.

William Newton, Charles Newton, wife and son George, spent Sunday at W. A. Carlton's at Chippewa Lake.

Henry Osterhouse has sold his farm to Cleveland parties, to give possession the first of October. Last Sunday Mrs. Osterhouse's sisters, Mrs. Landman and family of Willoughby and Mrs. Sigby and family of Gallon, spent the day with them.

G. E. Pitkin had charge of the funeral of a little Schaeffer girl in Strongsville.

Helen Ridiker is attending school in Medina and is staying at H. Blakenlee's.

Red Cross meeting in town hall Tuesday, Sept. 18.

Dorothy Bradway of Medina spent a couple of days here last week at Mrs. Harry Wait's.

We were quite surprised and yet pleased to know we had some one who could write poetry for the occasion.

We called on Mrs. Tibbitts Tuesday and got several of her poems which we expect to see in print before long.

Frost has been detected in different parts of the township mornings, after such cool nights.

Mrs. Howard Hitchcock has been quite ill for a few days.

## Contribute Your Share

By Mary Hanchett Tibbitts, Brunswick

Wear a smile on your face, 'Tis only a mask,

It will soon find its way to your soul: And the days and the years

As swiftly they pass Will but lightly take their toll;

For the soul responds To the lightest trace

Of thoughts that cheer or destroy. Be glad you live

In this great big world. And contribute your share to its joy.

Forget the cross You may have to bear,

With a smile send it drifting away, And search for the good

In this world of ours. You can find some from day to day.

And rid your soul Of its bitterness.

In the mission a smile employ, And make the world brighter

For you and for me— Just contribute your share to its joy.

## The Same Fourth

By Mary Hanchett Tibbitts, Brunswick

From near and from far there comes a cry

For a deathless, noiseless Fourth of July.

Oh who can invent this wondrous thing

A glorious Fourth without its sting, No loss of life, no maim of limb,

No brightness marred by a funeral hymn. When girls can sing, and boys can shout,

With no fear that death may lurk about.

We honor the names of History's great, Who founded the nation and bulidled the state.

Little thought they that as years passed by

We'd have such a murderous 4th of July.

Oh who from the depths of his brain can bring

This longed-for, talked-of needed thing, In the hearts of the mothers he'll oft be blest

Who brings to their worying minds a rest

Who plans for the world a little less noise,

Yet brings enough joy to the girls and boys.

In whose young hands lies America's fate.

The place of the nations, the welfare of state.

Inventors, who live both far and near, Please think of the Fourth in time this year

And leave for a moment the paths of the sky

To invent a safety Fourth of July.

## HINCKLEY

The Industrial Exposition at Edgewater park was well attended by Hinckley people, over 200 being there on

Hinckley Day, Sept. 7, and quite a number were there every day. The

Hinckley Grange had an exhibition of farm products and won a cash prize of \$125. They feel very elated and plan to take first place next year.

Pomona Grange was held at Hinckley Saturday, Sept. 8th. A large attendance was reported.

Ora Van Deusen drove his new Ford to Cleveland Monday, with a load of sweet corn, and on leaving it a few minutes, found it gone, and never has been able to locate it.

H. C. Averill had a sale Tuesday and will move to Medina shortly.

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## GRANGERBURG

Rev. E. A. Thompson who has been pastor of the M. E. church in Granger went to Warren, O., to the Methodist conference Tuesday of this week. We

Grangerites hope Rev. Thompson will be returned to us again, as he has certainly done splendid work among the young people as well as among the old.

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## MALLET CREEK

Miss Rosa Bihn spent the past week in Akron.

Miss Pearl Garrett and Mrs. Mark Garrett attended the Industrial Exposition at Edgewater park, Lakewood, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kulp of Lodi visited their son, Harvey Kulp and family, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Willard attended the reunion of the 124th regiment held at Dover, O., last Thursday. There were twenty-six members of the regiment present.

Grover A. Stroup returned to Cleveland Sunday after spending a two weeks' vacation at home.

Henry Gargett and wife of West Richfield and Mr. Sanderhoss and family of Alma, Mich., gave S. P. Porter and wife a surprise call last week.

Ed. McCollum of Elyria visited at L. Bart's and Mr. A. Stroup's Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Arlick is slowly improving; the nurse left Saturday.

F. H. Benedict and family of Litchfield, F. L. Taylor and family and Miss Beulah Townsend of Avon, visited at H. A. Branch's Sunday.

Mr. Cole of Medina visited at a Walcott's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. VanOrnum and Chas. Pierce and family attended the funeral of a cousin at Akron Saturday.

S. P. Porter and wife attended a cousin's reunion at Al Clement's in Brunswick Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Alexander were in Van Wert, O. from Wednesday till Monday. While there they attended the funeral of a niece, Mrs. Arthur Mat-thias.

Mrs. Herman Wolff returned from the hospital Friday, and is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Harry Gardner spent Wednesday and Thursday with Hal E. Case and family of Bolivar, O. Her mother, Mrs. Lucy Case, accompanied her home, returning the following day to her home at Newcomerstown.

Norman, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Dobson was painfully injured Monday morning when he fell off the porch and cut his face, necessitating a couple of stitches to be taken.

## VALLEY CITY

Rev. and Mrs. Kushner accompanied their son Edwin to Columbus last Tuesday, where he is attending the university.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Spalt of Cleveland spent Sunday at the home of F. G. Reusch.

Miss Kate Haag of Parma spent a few days at the home of Mrs. Theo. Gunkelman.

Henry Wolf was in Cleveland on business last Saturday.

Mr. A. A. Weidner and family of E. Cleveland spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. John Steck, Sr., is making a short stay at his old home.

Clarence Neff was in Elyria on business last Tuesday.

## LITCHFIELD

A good oil well was drilled in on the Stranahan farm north of town Monday of this week.

J. R. Bachtell and wife are moving to Elyria this week.

Mrs. Mary Holmes and daughter Carrie will occupy the rooms vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Bachtell in Miss Radle's house.

Elyria fair was well represented with Litchfieldites Wednesday.

Mrs. Mattie Sears, who has been in Lagrange nearly a year, is at her home again for a while.

Miss May Scudder, who has been visiting in Cuyahoga Falls, returned home Tuesday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church met with Mrs. Susie Halliday on Thursday.

Mrs. Mabel Brown is working in Medina.

## PENFIELD

Mrs. G. B. Betts and Mrs. Samuel Naylor attended the Berea fair.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Edwards and daughter Laura of Medina, and F. E. Bennett of Cleveland, skiled at the M. E. Craddock home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Alverton DeFields is working for Mrs. Leiv Smith and attending school.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rook is very sick with cholera infantum.

Mrs. Bertha Taylor is sick with summer grippe.

J. T. Craddock of Minerva, and J. Teeple of Canton, spent from Friday evening until Sunday morning at the M. E. Craddock home.

J. Baylor had two barns, one granary and a pig pen, his wheat and all his hay entirely destroyed by fire Thursday of last week, caused by the lightning striking the barn. Mr. and Mrs. Baylor have the sympathy of their friends in their trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hart and two nephews visited at the home of E. M. Pierce in Lorain last week.

On account of the infantile paralysis scare here, school did not open the 4th of September as intended, but began Monday the 10th.

There has been no new cases of infantile paralysis reported within the past week.

The farmers are having hard work threshing their grain on account of so much wet weather.

Miss Fannie Craddock is teaching in Pittsfield, and Miss Leona Wolfe is teaching in Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray and little daughter of Bucyrus, and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Devereaux and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. White.

## OBITUARY

Henry Repp was born Jan. 11, 1843 and died Aug. 31, 1917, aged 74 years, 7 months and 20 days. He was married to Priscilla Shile, July 5, 1866, they living together 51 years.

He leaves to mourn their loss his wife, 6 children, 17 grandchildren, 1 grandchild, 2 sisters, Mrs. Polly Kime of Homer, and Mrs. Amelia Leiby of Lodi, Sam Repp of Burbank, Lewis Repp of Michigan, Solomon, Moses and David Repp, living east of West Salem, and a host of friends. Funeral services were held at the residence, conducted by his pastor, Rev. Steffanni. Interment in the West Salem cemetery.

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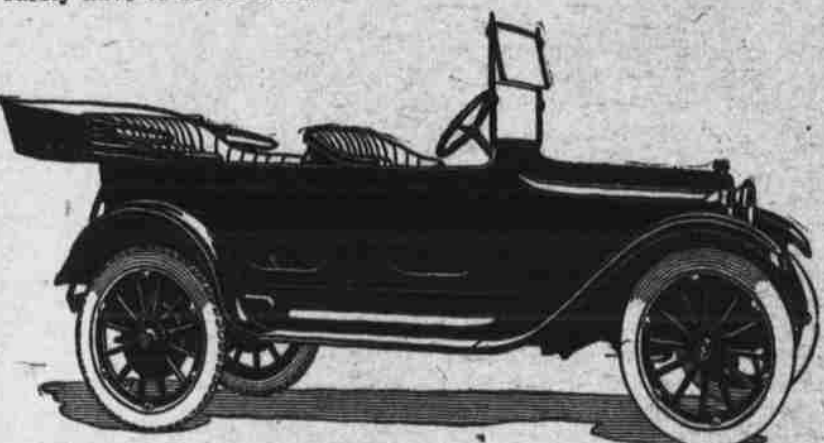
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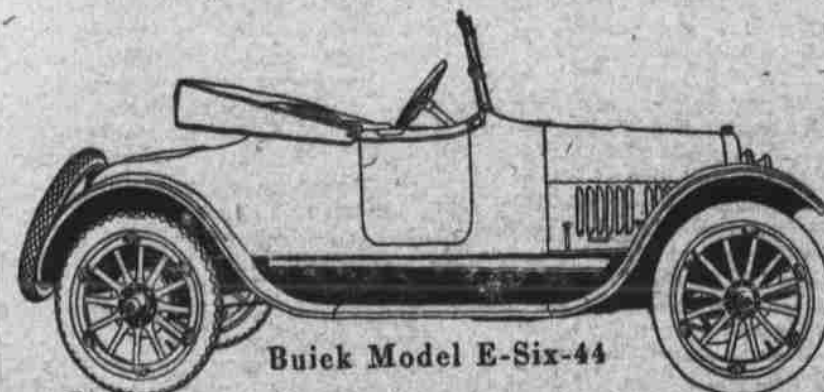
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